# THE MADRAS LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

## Thursday, 2nd April 1953.

The House met in the Assembly Chamber, Government Estate, Mount Road, at half-past eight of the clock, Mr. Speaker (THE HON. SRI J. SIVASHANMUGAM PILLAI) in the Chair.

### I.—QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

### STARRED QUESTIONS.

MR. SPEAKER :—" Questions left over from the agenda of 30th March will be taken up first."

*Statistics supplied to Sri Justice Wanchoo.*

* 241 *Q.*—SRI VAVILALA GOPALAKRISHNAIAH : Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased—

(*a*) to place on the table of the House the figures supplied by the Government to Sri Justice Wanchoo in connexion with the formation of the Andhra State ; and

(*b*) if not, the reasons for the same?

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" The Government of India have announced their decisions and published the Wanchoo Report and the appendices thereto along with such announcement and they will be placed on the table of the House. This Gcvernment is not free to deal with such papers independently."

**SRI VAVILALA GOPALAKRISHNAIAH** :—" ముఖ్య మంత్రిగారు ఇదివరలో ఒకసారి అసెంబ్లీలో మాట్లాడుతూ వాంచూ రిపోర్టుమీద post-mortem చేయదలచుకోలేదని అన్నారు. అయితే ఈ రిపోర్టు కాంగ్రెస్ వర్కింగు కమిటీ సమావేశంలో రాజగోపాలాచారిగారిచేత **post-mortem** చేయబడినతరువాత ఇక్కడికి వచ్చిందా? అందువలన దానిని post-mortem చేయడం అనవసరం అని అన్నారా? "

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" I have explained the position. The papers will be placed on the table of the House and all hon. Members will have full copies of all the papers, and, when the Bill comes up, there will be a discussion. I have nothing more to add."

*Statement of revenue and expenditure submitted to Sri Justice Wanchoo.*

* 242 *Q.*—SRI M. RAJESWARA RAO : Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to place on the table of the House a statement of revenue and expenditure of each district during 1951–52 as submitted to Sri Justice Wanchoo?

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" As desired by Sri Justice Wanchoo, the political parties and leaders were given copies of the statement referred to by the hon. Member,

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and they were allowed to use it for the purpose of their representations to Sri Justice Wanchoo, but not for publication. The attention of the hon. Member is invited to the answer given to Starred Question No. 241 (567)."

*Report submitted to Sri Justice Wanchoo.*

* 243 *Q.*—SRI M. RAJESWARA RAO : Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Government of Madras submitted a report to Sri Justice Wanchoo on the formation of the Andhra State;

(*b*) if so, the nature of the contents of the report;

(*c*) whether the Hon. the Minister will be pleased to place on the table of the House the report of the Partition Committee, 1949, appointed to make recommendations on the Andhra State issue;

(*d*) whether a copy of the report of Sri Justice Wanchoo has been communicated to the Madras Government by the Government of India; and

(*e*) if so, whether the Government of Madras have examined the said report?

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" (*a*) No, Sir.

" (*b*) Does not arise.

" (*c*) The attention of the hon. Member is invited to my answer to Legislative Assembly Question No. 72 (566) given on 19th March 1953.

" (*d*) & (*e*) The attention of the hon. Member is invited to my answer to Legislative Assembly Question No. 71 (573) given on 19th March 1953."

SRI VAVILALA GOPALAKRISHNAIAH :—" అయ్యా, ఆర్థిక మంత్రి గారు, ఈ వాంచూ రిపోర్టు ప్రకటించగానే, పార్టిషన్ కమిటీ రిపోర్టును, ఇతర అంకెలను సభ్యులకు ఇస్తామని చెప్పారు. అంతేకాకుండా దాన్ని గురించి Secretariat నుంచి కూడ ఉత్తరము వచ్చిందని మంత్రిగారు చెప్పారు. ఇప్పుడు వాంచూ రిపోర్టు ప్రకటించడం జరిగింది, అది ఇచ్చారు. కనుక పార్టిషన్ కమిటి రిపోర్టుకూడా ఇస్తారా అని అడుగుతున్నాను."

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" All the appendices to the Wanchoo report will be also there."

SRI T. NAGI REDDI :—" Sir, it is really surprising that a Government says that it has not submitted any report to Sri Justice Wanchoo when he came here to enquire into the affairs of partition. Is it because the Government was unable to present a united report or is it because the Government felt that it was unnecessary to give a report, or did the Government give a report individually—I mean, Ministers by themselves—and whatever it is, will the Government be pleased to place every matter connected with the report on the table of the House?"